

**The Elm City
Nursery Co's
Price List for
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Fall Supplement
  **OF**  
Holland Bulbs
Timely Notes, Etc.

Fall Planting.

Whoever intends to transplant trees or other plants naturally wishes to do so at the most suitable time, when possible—that is at a time when the plant or plants in question will receive the least shock by the moving. There are many sorts of plants which can be transplanted at any time, others that seem to be so constituted that special care at special times is required to get the best results.

As nurserymen we get much practical experience in this matter of transplanting, especially of hardy trees and other hardy plants and we are convinced that the following classes of plants can be set out to special advantage at the times noted.

September.

Evergreen-trees, azaleas, rhododendrons, most hardy herbaceous plants, such as paeonies, iris, phlox, larkspur, etc., tree paeonies, currants, strawberry plants.

October.

All of the above, also all deciduous fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs, vines, roses, etc., whose foliage has matured, also Holland bulbs and other hardy lilies.

November.

All the above noted and all deciduous trees with the possible exception of tulip and birch trees which seem to do better planted in the Spring.

December.

Very often we have this month comparatively free from freezing weather in which case about all deciduous fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs, vines, roses, etc., etc., can be planted to advantage.

There are a number of exceptions to the general rule and we are always glad to give advice to those who ask for it.

We publish annually a very complete catalogue of our trees and other plants. This catalogue is compiled with great care, the latest botanical classifications being used as well as the popular names. We believe all who are interested in hardy plants will find this catalogue useful and interesting. Copies sent free to all who apply.

Quality.

Buying trees and other plants is much like buying other merchandise in this respect—we very justly seek to obtain the best for the money invested. In no other line of merchandise, however, is the question of *superior quality* of more vital importance than with nursery stock, or so difficult for the buyer to determine. Quality not only depends upon stock being well grown, vigorous and healthy, but to an important degree upon the care with which it is dug, handled when out of the ground and the manner with which it is packed and delivered. This shows plainly that the quality of stock the purchaser receives depends to a large degree upon the integrity of the nurseryman and his business facilities. Appreciating this important fact, it has been our constant endeavor to so position ourselves that we could handle our rapidly increasing business with facilities which make it certain that we can guarantee our customers the all important consideration, *quality*.

The Elm City Nursery Company,
Landscape Gardeners and Nurserymen,

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Edgewood, Edgewood Avenue,
NEW HAVEN CONN.

Our Special Offering Four New Garden Plants of Unquestioned Merit.

New Hardy Garden Rose Soleil d'Or (Golden Sun.)

The first of a new race of roses, originated by M. Pernet-Ducher. It is the result of a cross between the well-known Persian Yellow and the Hybrid Perpetual Antoine Ducher, and is characterized by M. Pernet as a perpetual flowering variety. We append the description from the originator:

"This magnificent variety, like the Persian Yellow is perfectly hardy. It retains a good deal of the character of the Persian Yellow, the bark of the wood being reddish, the thorns very fine, the foliage more ample, and the leaves of a beautiful clear green, are close together. Its growth is robust, very vigorous, making plants three feet in height. The flowers are large, full and globular, measuring $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches across, and fragrant; buds conical shaped; color superb, varying from gold and orange-yellow to reddish-gold, shaded with nasturtium red. The color stands the sun well." This should be a very valuable rose.

Price strong field grown plants \$1.00 each, per 10, \$8.50.
Lighter grade plants 75 cts. each, per 10, \$6.25.

New Climbing Wichuriana Rose Dorothy Perkins.

In this rose we have an ideal companion for the now universally popular Crimson Rambler. This rose, if possible, is even a more vigorous grower than the Crimson, has a far more brilliant glossy, green foliage, which is retained late into the fall, and the blooms which are produced in the greatest possible profusion, are of that clear, silvery, lively pink, so much sought for in a hardy rose. This rose is sure to be a great favorite.

Heavy field grown plants, \$1.00 each, \$8.50 per 10.
Lighter grade plants, \$.50 each, \$4.25 per 10.

New Hardy Garden Phlox Coquelicot.

The French word for poppy; so called on account of its brilliant color—bright orange-scarlet—almost the exact shade of an oriental poppy. Exceedingly brilliant, being the brightest phlox yet introduced.

Price strong field grown 25 cts. each, \$2.25 per 10.
Lighter grade, 15 cts. each, \$2.25 per 10.

New Hardy Garden Daisy Shasta.

These wonderful daisies of which a great deal has been written in the horticultural press the last year, are the work of Mr. Luther Burbank of California, to whom we are indebted for so many fine introductions. Flowers are of the purest glistening white, of enormous size—about four inches in diameter—and are borne on long, strong, stiff, wiry stems, about two feet in length. The flowers are produced in the greatest profusion, plants remaining in bloom for several months. They are perfectly hardy perennials, blooming better and more abundantly each season, and will make a valuable addition to our list of hardy perennials on account of the abundance of flowers produced and their wonderful size. For cutting, the flowers are very effective. Prof. Bailey of Cornell University, who has seen this growing in Mr. Burbank's grounds in California, states, "If it bears out its promise in other climates, it will be joy to the garden."

This last summer it has been in bloom at the nursery, and is fully up to our anticipations. Mr. Burbank states that more admiration has been bestowed on this Shasta daisy by visitors than upon any other flowering plant growing on his grounds, and with good reasons, for to-day no other flowers can compare with them for usefulness.

Strong field plants, 50 cts. each, \$4.50 per 10.
Lighter grade plants, 25 cts. each, \$2.25 per 10.

Special Offer.

One each of the above novelties.	Large size, \$2.50
" " " " " "	Lighter " 1.50
Two " " " " " "	Large " 4.50
" " " " " "	Lighter " 2.50

NOTE. Many other new plants as well as about all of the better known ones are listed in our general catalogue. Sent to you free, if you apply—

THE ELM CITY NURSERY COMPANY,

Office and Grounds, Edgewood, Edgewood Avenue, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Holland Bulbs.

Most of the following bulbs can be planted out of doors any time in the fall even as late as December, if the ground is free from frost and a fine display of bloom will appear the following spring. If desired for winter forcing they should be planted as soon as procured in suitable pots or boxes. We issue an instructive circular giving full information as to how bulbs should be planted and treated to get best results. This circular can be had of us for the asking.

Named Single Hyacinths.

Price, 8 cents each, 80 cents per dozen, \$6.00 per 100

Baron Van Thuyll. Fine pink, compact truss, early.
Charles Dickens. Large compact truss, porcelain blue.
General Pelissier. Deep scarlet, compact truss, very early.
Gertrude. Fine bright red, compact truss.
Gigantea. Fine pink, very large and compact truss.
Baroness Van Thuyll. Pure white, compact truss.
L'Innocence. Pure white.
Queen of Blues. Light blue, large compact truss.
Czar Peter. Finest porcelain blue, very large truss.
Marie. Rich, dark blue, early.

Double Hyacinths.

Bouquet Royal. Pink, large truss.
Bouquet Tendre. Dark red.
Prince of Orange. Dark rose, early.
Bloksberg. Porcelain blue.
Bouquet Orange. Orange yellow.

Hyacinths. (In separate colors.)

Chiefly used for Out-door Planting.

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
Single Red,	\$.06	\$.60	\$4.50
Single White,	.07	.70	5.00
Single Blue,	.06	.60	4.50
Single Yellow,	.07	.70	5.25
Single Rose,	.07	.70	5.00
Single Mixed,	.05	.50	4.00
Double Red and Rose,	.06	.60	4.50
Double White,	.07	.70	5.50
Double Blue,	.06	.60	4.50
Double Mixed,	.05	.50	4.00

Roman Hyacinths. (For Forcing.)

Early White. Extra selected bulbs.	-.05	.50	3.00
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Tulips.

Named Early Single Tulips.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Artus. Dazzling scarlet, dwarf,	.02	.20	1.25	
Belle Alliance. (Waterloo) scarlet.	.03	.25	1.50	
Canarybird. Pure yellow, early,	.03	.25	1.50	
Chrysolora. Golden yellow	.03	.25	1.50	
Cottage Maid. Rosy pink,	.03	.25	1.50	
Couleur Ponceau. Violet,	.02	.20	1.00	
Crimson King. Bright crimson,	.02	.25	1.50	
Pottebakker. Pure yellow,	.03	.30	2.00	
Pottebakker. Pure white,	.03	.30	2.00	
Pottebakker. Scarlet,	.03	.30	2.00	
Yellow Prince. Pure yellow,	.03	.25	1.75	
All Colors. Choice Mixture,	.10	.70		5.25

Named Double Tulips.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Gloria Solis. Red, yellow bordered,	\$.03	\$.25	\$ 2.00	\$
LaCandeur. Pure white,	.03	.25	1.75	
Rex Rubrorum. Scarlet,	.02	.20	1.75	
All Colors. Choice Mixture,		.12	.80	6.00

Late Flowering Single Garden Tulips.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Bizards. Fine mixed varieties,	\$.02	\$.20	\$ 1.00
Parrot or Dragon. Mixed colors,	.02	.20	1.50
Bybloemens. Fine mixed varieties,	.02	.20	1.50
Gesneriana. Scarlet,	.03	.25	1.75

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Narcissus or Daffodils.

Single and Trumpet Shaped Hardy.

Poeticus. Pure white flower, with orange cup,	.02	.15
Stella. Pure white, with yellow cup,	.03	.25
Horsfuldii. White and yellow,	.05	.50
Trumpet Major. Large golden yellow,	.04	.35
Golden Spur. Large Yellow,	.05	.50

Double Narcissus.

Alba Plena Odorata. Pure white,	.02	.15
Incomparable Fl. Pl. Full Double of rich yellow,	.02	.15
Von Sion or Double Yellow Daffodil,	.03	.30

Jonquils.

Double. Deep yellow, fine,	.03	.30
Campernelle. Very large flowers,	.02	.20

Polyanthus Narcissus.

Grand Soliel d'Or. Rich yellow,	.04	.40
Paper White. Snow white with yellow crown,	.02	.20

Chinese Sacred Narcissus.

Extra Sized Bulbs,	.05	.50
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Crocus.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Non Plus Ultra. Blue,	\$.01	\$.10	\$.60	\$5.00
Mont Blanc. Pure white,	.01	.10	.60	5.00
Cloth of Gold. Yellow,	.01	.10	.60	5.00
All Colors. Mixed,	.01	.08	.50	4.00

Lilies.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Auratum. Golden Banded,	\$.15	\$1.50	\$15.00	\$150.00
Candidum. Madonna Lily,	.12	1.20	12.00	120.00
Speciosum. White and red,	.20	2.00	20.00	200.00
Harrisii or Easter Lily. First size, 9 to 11 inches,	.40	4.00	40.00	400.00
Harrisii or Easter Lily. Second size, 7 to 9 inches,	.20	2.00	20.00	200.00

For other Lilies see our general catalogue.

Miscellaneous Bulbs.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Allium Neapolitanum,	\$.02	\$.20	\$2.00	\$20.00

Anemones.

Single. Fine mixed,	.03	.20
Double. Fine mixed,	.03	.25

Crown Imperials.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
All colors,	\$.10	\$1.00	\$10.00	\$100.00

Iris.

Spanish. Mixed varieties	.02	
English. (Angelica.) Mixed varieties,	.04	

Also see our general catalogue for large list of other Iris.

Convallaria. (Lily of the Valley.)

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Flowering pips. Selected,	\$.02	\$.20	\$2.00	\$20.00
Clumps of roots,	.15	1.00	10.00	100.00

Ornithogalum. (Star of Bethlehem.)

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Arabicum,	\$.06	\$.60	\$6.00	\$60.00

Freesia Refracta Alba.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
1st size,	\$.03	\$.25	\$2.50	\$25.00
2nd size,	.02	.15	1.50	15.00

Ranunculus.

Double French. Finest mixed,	.03	.25
Double Turban. Finest mixed,	.03	.25

Scilla.

(Siberica.) Fine blue,	.03	.25
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Snow Drops.

Single. Pure white,	.02	.20
Double. Perfectly double,	.03	.25

